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The Honorable Will Espero Chairperson Senate Committee on Public Safety, Intergovernmental and Military Affairs State Capitol, Room 231 Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Chairperson Espero & Committee Members:

## Re: Governor's Message 621 - Henk Rogers

It is with great pleasure to support the nomination of Henk B. Rogers to the Board of Directors of the Pacific International Space Center for Exploration Systems.

Henk brings more than 40 years of successful business experience as an internationally known innovative software designer in the console gaming industry. One of his career highlights was securing the rights to distribute Tetris on video game consoles.

We are fortunate to have Henk committed to Hawaii where he has worked tirelessly wto transform Honolulu into a tech hub. Henk is the founder of Blue Planet Foundation, a nonprofit organization that works to promote renewable energy in Hawaii.

I am confident that Henk's business acumen will help the space exploration research and development to become a reality in Hawaii.

Sincerely,

Bert A. Kobayashi

Chairman and CEO